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For: NEIGHBORING BASE STATION)
INFORMATION UPDATE METHOD,)
INFORMATION MANAGEMENT METHOD)
FOR CELL SEARCH IN MOBILE)
COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM, CELL SEARCH)
METHOD OF MOBILE STATION,)
MOBILE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM,)
MOBILE STATION, BASE STATION)
AND CONTROL STATION)
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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